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FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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<i>Application No.</i>	09/883,776
<i>Filing Date</i>	June 18, 2001
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Pavitra Subramaniam
<i>Art Unit</i>	2177
<i>Examiner Name</i>	Lu, Kuen S.
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	5306P034

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

a. Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

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- ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

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ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

- i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and any additional claims fee(s)
- ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. Other: (\$0.00)

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Subramaniam, et al.

Application No. 09/883,776

Filed: 06/18/2001

For: METHOD, APPARATUS, AND
SYSTEM FOR REMOTE CLIENT
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Examiner: Lu, Kuen S.

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of June 21, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above referenced application. The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Appl. No. 09/883,776
Amdt. Dated 10/18/2004
Response to Final Office Action mailed June 21, 2004